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## Why Not Cultivate the Numerous Vacant Lots?

**Idle Land Enough in Bay Cities to Feed Entire Army In State**

**Food Administrator Hoover's Attention Is Directed to the Opportunities Available In California**

D. C. Tenney of Adams street at the county line believes in stimulating agriculture and encouraging food production. Mr. Tenney has made a study of all the phases of field crop production, and is no theorist or experimenter; nor does he cultivate the soil on paper or at the curbstone, but is from that illustrious middle state where they "show you."

Last season Mr. Tenney on a little patch of soil less than an acre in area produced over one thousand pounds of beans for which he received ten cents per pound. The beans required very little cultivation and had no irrigation.

Mr. Tenney has proposed a community proposition of farming the vacant land in Albany this year that will bear investigation. Any one can join the organization who will subscribe one dollar or more.

Mr. Tenney has the farming implements and the motive power, and will give each stockholder his pro rata of potatoes and beans when harvested. If a stockholder only receives one sack of potatoes for his dollar investment, it is a dollar saved, and he is doing his patriotic duty in helping Uncle Sam win the war at the same time.

There are several citizens of Albany who will contribute from \$1 to \$25 to force the vacant land into service for the production of more food. They are doing it in Berkeley, why not elsewhere?

Albany and Richmond have hundreds of idle acres lying dormant, not earning a cent, except for the pasturing of a stray cow or goat.

## New Stage Line

The Peerless Stage Association has filed an application with the railroad commission for a line between Oakland and Richmond. Commissioner Gordon will hear the application at the city hall, Oakland, March 7. It is said that the stage line will serve Richmond and intermediate points.

## Eclipse Minstrels Will Show in Albany

Eclipse Lodge of Odd Fellows will repeat the minstrel performance recently staged at the Lincoln auditorium, and which was the hit of the season.

The show is to be put on at the Albany auditorium Wednesday night March 13. Members of the committee of arrangements, M. H. Williams and G. T. Stanley, have secured this modern auditorium which is especially adapted for entertainments of this kind, exceeding anything around the bay for acoustics, seating capacity and convenience to the car lines for Richmond, San Francisco and all the bay cities.

The Odd Fellows will draw a large crowd from all the east bay cities, and Richmond will no doubt be represented by a large delegation.

## Army Notes.

Joe Casey has written home that he will be moved this week to North Carolina for further training.

Darrell Pearson, former student of the Richmond high, is a visitor at the home of his parents for the last few days. Pearson is in the radio service of the navy.

Tom Poage has enlisted in the engineering division of the naval reserve and will enter the service at once.

Frank Rossi leaves today for Camp Fremont to report for duty with the 319th Engineers. He has been employed as a draughtsman in the city engineer's office.

Francis W. Mallory, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Mallory and for some time a Wells Fargo messenger in this city, enlisted in the 47th Hospital Unit at Camp Fremont. This is the unit in which Captain C. L. Abbott holds a commission.

Assemblyman W. E. Calahan was in Richmond the other day fixing up his campaign fences for the August primaries. "Bill's" fences seem to be in good repair and don't need much fixing. There's only about one scout in Contra Costa who could give Bill any kind of a chase for the assembly job.

## Senator Jas. D. Phelan Favors Alameda For Base

Congressmen now in the national capital are in consultation in regard to the proposed naval base recommended in the Helms report, and a letter from Senator James D. Phelan to H. C. Capwell of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce, proves that the Senator is favorable to the location of the base in San Francisco bay, and that the Alameda site will no doubt be selected. The letter follows:



"Dear Mr. Capwell: I beg to acknowledge the receipt of your telegram relative to the naval base to be established on San Francisco bay.

"I have recently been in consultation with Congressman Elston and other interested parties and you may be sure that I will do what is possible to bring about the desired results. Very truly yours, JAMES D. PHELAN."

## Base Hospital Corps to Move

Base Hospital Corps No. 47, after three months intense training at Camp Fremont, leave tomorrow for one of the camps on the southeast Atlantic coast, and no doubt this means that the boys will soon be "there." A number of Crockett and Richmond boys are with this corps, among them Sidney E. Ryan, son of the publisher of this newspaper. Young Ryan enlisted three months ago with a number of other boys who were employed in the main office of the big sugar plant at Crockett.

## Bob McCourt Writes From Arizona

Robert McCourt, former local manager of the Western Union, writes the Terminal from Warren, Arizona, that he is still among the live ones, although he has been in a very "hot climate" since leaving Richmond more than two years ago. "Mac" has many friends in Richmond who will be glad to hear from him and that he is prospering in Arizona, and that he escaped from the "danger zone" in Mexico, where he was last heard from. He is now stationed at Warren, Arizona, and working at the key again as usual.

## Paper House Boys Enlist in U.S. Army

The Franklin street paper house of the Zellerbach Co. has four stars on their service flag, and there will be more. Those who are now serving Uncle Sam are A. W. Thomas, Al. White, Charles Reynolds, and A. W. Thorn.

## Cutting Arrested; For Contempt

A federal warrant for the arrest of Henry C. Cutting of the Monetary Trust Co., charged with the contempt of court, was issued by District Judge William C. Van Fleet Monday morning on the complaint of master in chancery, H. M. Wright. Cutting's failure to pay \$500 master's fees incurred in the taking of the account in the Point Richmond Canal and Land Co. with Henry J. and Frances A. Woodward was the cause of his arrest for contempt. Cutting was released on bonds of \$1000, and will be given a hearing March 4.

## Nine Tests Are Used To Prove Physical Fitness

The director of athletics at one army camp has arranged a program as a means of determining the relative athletic caliber of the companies in the division. Each man is required to pass in eight of the following tests to obtain a positive mark for his unit:

Jump 8 feet from a standing position; chin 10 times; clear a bar at 4 feet 2 inches; throw a 12-pound shot 33 feet; climb a 20-foot rope in 15 seconds; dash 50 yards in 7 seconds; run a mile in 6 minutes; lift a 60 pound weight over the head with one hand; sit up from a supine position with a 50 pound weight suspended from the back of the head.

## Big Draft in June

The latest word from authoritative sources in Washington is to the effect that the second big draft will be made in June. Those who had hoped the war would end and that they will be "overlooked" in serving their country at the front, will be disappointed. Uncle Sam intends to mobilize a large army, and send an endless stream of trained soldiers into Europe till the war is won for Democracy. As fast as the men are trained they will be sent across, and new recruits will take their places in the American training camps. It is a military school of training, and our boys are receiving an education that will produce a high standard of efficiency, both mentally and physically.

## Camp Theater Prices Reasonable

While figures are not yet available on the proportionate number of \$1 and \$5 smilage books being purchased for use by men of the camps and cantonments, the commission on training camp activities, in charge of the sale, states that there has been unexpected demand for the larger books. Smilage books selling for \$1 contain 20 coupons good for admission to camp entertainments; books selling for \$5 contain 100 coupons.

From two to five coupons are required for admission to Liberty theaters at the camps, although many of the productions are of the class which demand \$2 prices in metropolitan houses.

## Government Control

A committee of three has been appointed by Director General McAdoo to investigate the inland and coastwise waterways of the United States and advise him as to the best means of putting them to advantageous use and solving transportation problems. The canals of the country and the coastwise Mississippi and lake traffic will be considered. Work has already been started by the committee which is headed by Maj. Gen. W. H. Black, Chief of Engineers of the United States Army.

## Banks to Co-Operate

Replies to the telegrams of Secretary McAdoo to all the banks of the country announcing the offering for subscription every two weeks between now and the opening of the next Liberty Loan of Treasury Certificates of Indebtedness in amounts of \$500,000,000 or more, have been received in large numbers.

The thousands of telegrams from the banks all strike one patriotic note, and the whole-hearted co-operation of banks and trust companies is assured the government "without stint or limit."

The rainfall for this locality is reported by the weather bureau as 7.22 inches for the season. More than five inches fell in February. With the same precipitation in March, the rainfall will be normal, and a bumper crop assured.

## No Need of Attorneys To Collect U. S. Insurance

The Secretary of the Treasury has announced that neither the soldiers, sailors, nor their dependents as any beneficiaries under the soldier and sailor insurance law need employ attorneys or claim agents to collect the insurance; that the employment of such intermediaries is unnecessary and inadvisable and a needless expense.

The procedure for the presentation and collection of insurance claims is very simple and the proper blanks can be secured from the Bureau of War Risk Insurance in Washington. The name of the person in service who is killed or injured and the relationship which he bore to the person making the claim should be given. If further information or assistance is required by the claimant the Bureau of War Risk Insurance will gladly furnish it.

Circulars have been sent out by claim agents and attorneys offering to assist persons entitled to the benefits of this insurance in collecting their claims. The "pension sharks," who once thrived and fattened under our pension laws, are still a rank memory in this country.

It was hoped that when they were legislated out of existence we would never see their likes again. But their successors seem to survive, and the action of Secretary McAdoo in giving prompt warning against these would-be profiteers under the insurance law will be commended by all.

## Sawdust Squelches Garage Blaze

Have a bucket of sawdust ready to choked an oil blaze—especially in the garage or around the gas engine. Adding two or three pounds of common soda to a bucket of sawdust improves it as an extinguisher. Spread it with a scoop. Water is of little use where oil is blazing; it may spread the flame. Sand, while good to smother fires is a bad thing to pour on machinery.

## Cake Frosting Wastes Sugar

Icing is not needed, why not leave it off? Putting cake on a war basis is another way to save sugar without hardship. Thick frosting involves the use of sugar needlessly at this time. Furthermore, many recipes call for excessive amounts of sugar. Try smaller quantities in your cake recipes, etc., and give preference to cakes which are sweetened with molasses or syrup. Housekeepers who have a stock of canned fruits, jellies, and preserves in their cupboards can lessen the sugar consumption by using more of such things for desserts.

## Small-Top Milk Pails

Every cow-stable should have a system of ventilation to keep the air fresh and pure and the cows comfortable without exposing them to injurious drafts. Bad odors in the stable indicate that the ventilation is deficient. At least 500 cubic feet of air space should be provided for each cow. Farmers who desire to provide proper ventilation in cow stables can obtain information on this point by applying to the Dairy Division of the United States Department of Agriculture.

## Ventilation For Stables

In modern dairies where clean milk is produced the small-top milk pail is a necessity, as it presents only a small opening onto which dust and dirt may fall from the air or from the cow's body. It has been found by experience that the use of a pail of this kind greatly reduces the number of bacteria in milk from dairies where it is used. Many types of milk pails are for sale, but any tinny by the addition of a hood can convert an ordinary pail into a small top-pail.

## A Small Sacrifice Will Not Entail Hardship; Not Asked to Starve Ourselves

### FINAL INSTALLMENT

The Food Administration, charged with the work of promoting conservation and stimulating production, does not ask our people to starve themselves or to suffer privation in the slightest degree. A small sacrifice of personal tastes is requested. Here are a few concrete rules which will enable America to carry out its obligations in aiding to supply our own needs and the needs of our associates in the war without inflicting hardships on any class of citizens:

First—For meat substitutes use fish, poultry and sea foods. Observe strictly the "Porkless Tuesdays and Saturdays," and in addition eat one or two meatless meals each day.

Second—For animal fats substitute vegetable oils. Use no pork fats of any kind, nor eat pork products, which include fresh and cured pork, ham, bacon, pigs' feet, "Porkless Tuesdays and Saturdays," and eliminate pork products one meal each day at least.

Third—For wheat substitute corn, rice, barley, rye and oats. A saving of one-fifth of the wheat normally consumed will enable us to export the quantity needed by the Allies. Corn bread may be substituted for wheat bread, and white flour may be substituted by rye and other flours, which furnish an appetizing, nourishing base for breads and pastries. Corn meal cannot be shipped because it does not keep and Europe has no mills to grind the whole grain. Observe the "Wheatless Wednesdays" faithfully, using no wheat products on those days. In addition eat one wheatless meal each day.

Fourth—Use perishable fruits and vegetables for an entire meal whenever possible, thus releasing a greater quantity of staples for exportation. Use foods produced locally rather than those raised at a distance, thus relieving the transportation facilities so badly needed in war industries.

Fifth—Substitute vegetables and fruits for nuts for meats.

Sixth—Cut down on the consumption of sugar. Americans use six times as much sugar as necessary to health and comfort. Substitute honey, molasses and corn syrups. Eliminate pastries, candy and sweet beverages from the daily menu.

Food conservation is perhaps the lightest burden—and the most important in the present crisis—that has been imposed by the war. It hits all classes alike and all may do his or her share with a minimum of effort and a maximum of results.

The volume of saving that can be effected in the 22,000,000 American homes is almost beyond estimate. One ounce a day of flour saved in each home means thousands of barrels yearly. An average saving of an ounce of meat each day, according to the Food Administration, would permit us to supply the Allies with their needs.

It is imperatively necessary that the response of America's patriotic millions in the food conservation campaign should be nothing less than unanimous. The response to the Food Administration's appeal should come from all persons in all sections. Food will win the war. It has become an accepted fact and allows of no dispute.

The call has gone forth from the government to the women of the country to mobilize the kitchen for greater war service. Millions of patriotic women throughout the country have put their tables on a basis of economy heretofore undreamed of. Conservation has become a household word and saving a patriotic, voluntary duty. Is YOUR household on a war basis?

Every scrap of meat saved, every lump of sugar, every tablespoonful of flour, multiplied by millions, means food in great quantities for the starving and semi-starving peoples in the Allied countries.

Food saved is a guarantee that German autocracy will be forever eradicated; that the children of America will never be subjected to the atrocities committed on the defenseless victims of Belgium, Serbia, Armenia and other despoiled countries.

Food wasted in this country might result in the defeat of the Allied nations, a catastrophe which would throw the entire burden of the war on the United States. Conjure up what would happen if the German legions landed on our coasts, beating back our less efficiently organized defenders! Picture to yourself the outrages which would follow the Hun in his gory march from shore to shore, slaying, burning and torturing! Our children mutilated and driven like cattle before an inhuman conqueror! That has been the fate of Belgium!

In the hands of the women of the country, who practically control food consumption, largely lies the future of our Democracy and the glorious freedom for our children.

Save food today. Tomorrow may be too late.

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## Suits For Spring

Our buyer has just returned from New York with the tidings that suits are to be more popular this season than in three seasons past. That the news has already come is evidenced by the more and more women who are asking for them daily. A handsome suit adorned with the new ideas in neckwear makes a well dressed woman up to the minute in style this season.

### SPECIAL—Suits at \$28.75

Suits in the front rank of favor specially priced. Poplins, Delhi cloth serge, gabardines and jersey in all the new shades of beige, gray, rookie, tan, navy, checks Copenhagen, electric blue and khaki.

Correctly and fashionably tailored, best quality of workmanship and the new style ideas. Styles for women are mostly semi-fitting, while these for misses are smartly made with tight sleeves, narrow shoulders and short coats. Extra special at—\$28.75.

Other new models are made of tricelines, roshanara crepe, jersey, Poirer twill, velour with fancy pussy willow or peacock cygne linings. Many novelty effects among these.

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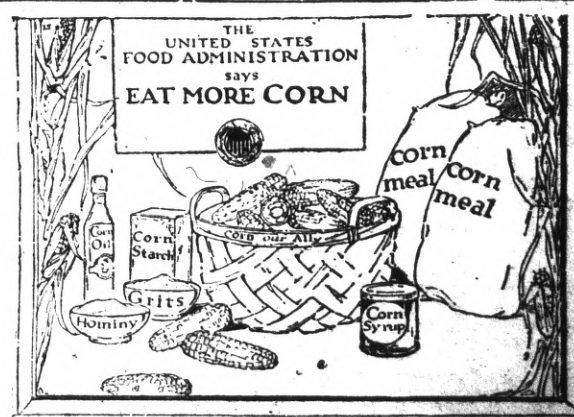
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# Weekly Summary of World's News

## THOSE WHO WILL PAY FEDERAL INCOME TAX

Exemption of \$2,000 for Married Men With \$200 Added for Each Dependent

By JUSTUS S. WARDLE  
U. S. Internal Revenue Collector, San Francisco

San Francisco—The Federal income tax reaches this year the incomes of the masses. Income as low as \$1000 earned by mechanics, farmers, small merchants, clerks, is this year within the scope of the law.

In round figures, every unmarried man who earned \$20 a week for 1917, and every married man who earned \$38.50 a week, is affected by the provisions of the new law.

There are two Federal income tax laws in force covering 1917 income:

(1) The Act of Sept. 8, 1916, which applies to incomes exceeding \$3000 and \$4000.

(2) The Act of Oct. 3, 1917, levied a War Income Tax in addition to the old law, and it is this new law which reaches down into the purses of the average man and woman.

The information which follows is drawn up to show the requirements of the "War Income Tax," which is so far-reaching.

**The War Income Tax in Brief**

What?—A tax on net incomes for the year 1917 of citizens and residents of the United States. Rates of tax: normal at 2 per cent; surtax on all net income exceeding \$500 at graduated rates of 1 per cent to 50 per cent.

Who?—Every citizen or resident, male or female, who if unmarried received net income of \$1000 or more during 1917, or who if married and living with wife (or husband) received net income of \$2000 or more during 1917, must file a sworn schedule or "return" of such net income. Such person must pay the tax if the net income thus reported exceeds the personal exemption allowable by law, as follows:

If unmarried or widowed; or if married and living apart from wife (or husband) the exemption is \$1000. If he or she may claim \$2000 exemption if actually supporting one or more persons entirely dependent and related by blood, marriage, or adoption, thus fulfilling a moral or legal obligation.

If married and living with wife (or husband) the personal exemption is \$2000, plus \$200 for each dependent child, if under 16 years of age, or if incapable of self-support because mentally or physically defective.

When?—The return for 1917 must be filed on or before April 1st, 1918. Payment of tax due for 1917 may be made when return is filed or on or before June 15, 1918, which is the due date prescribed by law.

Where?—Residents of the First District of California, including forty-eight counties in Northern California and the State of Nevada must file returns with Justus S. Wardell, Collector of Internal Revenue, San Francisco, California, or any of his deputies authorized to receive same.

How to figure your net income, which is the basis of Federal Income Tax:

1. Compute the total of all gains, profits, and income from salary, wages, commissions, bonus.

2. Business or professional receipts; interest and dividends from investments.

3. Gains from sale of property, real and personal.

4. Rents and royalties; income and fiduciaries (administrators, trustees, etc.).

5. Partnership profits (whether distributed or not).

6. Interest on bank deposits, notes and mortgages, and other sources.

7. (omit—Salary or wages from state, county, city or town, interest on city, state or United States bonds, gifts or bequests not in recognition of your services; life insurance received as beneficiary, or as premiums paid back at maturity or surrender of policy).

8. Compute the total of your allowable deductions under these items:

Necessary business expenses; interest paid on personal indebtedness.

9. Taxes paid (not including Federal Income Tax, or assessments for local improvements).

10. Losses sustained in business, or through fire, storm, shipwreck, or theft (except when compensated by insurance or otherwise).

11. Wear and tear of property rented or used in business (formula: divide cost by number of years expected life of property).

12. Bad debts of business or profession, actually charged off within the year, if these debts were shown as income in a Federal Income Tax return.

13. Contributions to charitable, religious, educational organizations, etc. (to an amount not exceeding 15 per cent of your net income).

14. Interest on Liberty Bonds that you may own in excess of \$5000 per value is income subject to surtax.

15. The net income is the amount by which the gross income exceeds the allowable deductions, as computed by above schedule.

**The Similarity.**

"How strange it is," murmured the Cheerful Idiot, "that the children of these miners are like the most precious and expensive of flowers."

"What do you mean?" asked the Practical Grouch. "How can they be?"

"Well," answered the Cheerful Idiot, a bit apologetically, "you know they are ore kids."

**A Luxury.**

"Can you afford to keep a dog?"

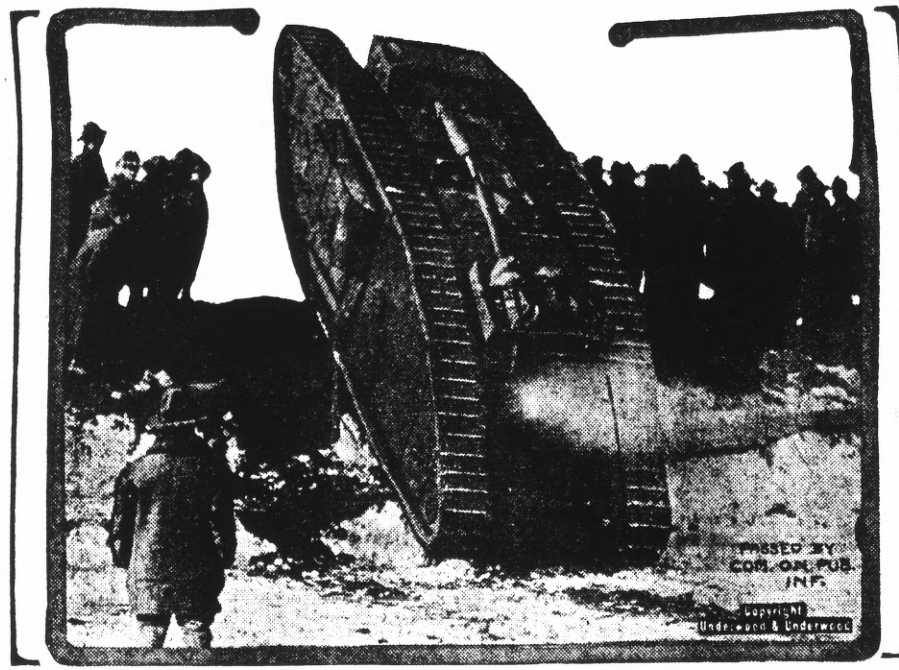
"No. I could afford to feed him, but time's valuable these days, and I couldn't possibly afford the argument with the neighbors and the policeman and everybody."

"An engine is a paradoxical sort of a proposition."

"How so?"

"It is hottest when it's cooled."

## BRITISH TANK ON A RECRUITING TOUR OF THE UNITED STATES



The British tank Britannia, which recently demonstrated various interesting phases of tank warfare as waged by the British army in France, before the officers and men of Brig. Gen. Evan M. Johnson's division of the National army at Camp Upton, Yaphank, N. Y., has started on a recruiting tour of the United States for the British and Canadian recruiting mission, which is headed by Brig. Gen. W. A. White. The Britannia, known as a female tank, weighs 80 tons, travels over rough country, hills, banks, and trenches at the rate of about four miles an hour, and is armed with six Lewis machine guns. She fought in the battle of the Somme and has been "over the top" three times.

## War Happenings of the Week

The Berlin war office announces that 1533 guns and between 4000 and 5000 motor cars have been captured from the Russians.

Approximately 600 Americans are resident in the United Kingdoms are subject to the draft under the Anglo-American treaty. It was announced by the American consul general, Robert P. Skinner. There are approximately 12,000 American citizens of both sexes and all ages now resident in the United Kingdom.

An American infantryman was killed on February 20 by a stray bullet and three artillerymen were slightly wounded by German shrapnel. The German artillery has become steadily active, and an average of 700 or 800 shells are now thrown daily against the American positions and the territory lying to the rear.

Representatives Wason and Burroughs of New Hampshire addressed the House February 22, on conditions at Camp Greene, Charlotte, N. C., where lack of sewers and the end of a hard winter have turned the camp site into a field of mud. Both of the congressmen visited the camp recently. They described their experiences to the House and insisted that sewers should be built or the place abandoned.

The British have captured Jericho in Palestine, the War Office reports. The city was entered by Australian troops February 21. Little opposition was encountered. Subsequently the Australians established themselves on the line of the Jordan and the Wadi Ajlun. The official statement reports the situation of bad weather. North and northwest of Jerusalem the British advanced positions were extended slightly and rendered secure. During the fighting of February 20, the casualties of the British troops were again slight.

Health conditions in all American Army camps showed decided improvement during the week ending February 15 and for that week there was a lower death rate in all camps than at any time since last November. Deaths in all camps, regular Army, National Guard and National Army, for the week totaled 177, of which 96 resulted from pneumonia. Fewer new cases of the more serious diseases, especially pneumonia and meningitis, were reported compared with the previous week. The regulars show the highest death rate—12.9 per 1000 a year.

The Russian town of Rovno has been cleared of the Germans, the Berlin war office reports. Trains with about 1000 cars, many laden with food, have been captured, as well as airplanes and an incalculable amount of war material. Between Dvinsk and Pinsk, the Germans are pressing eastward. General von Linsingen's movement continues. Important railway and highway junctions have been occupied. (Rovno, in Volhynia, is one of the great fortresses constituting a triangle defense of Russia's western border. The other two are Dubno and Lutsk. The latter is occupied by the Austrians.)

An economic agreement with Spain under which General Pershing will get mules, army blankets and other materials in that country in return for cotton, oil and other commodities from the United States was signed February 21 in Madrid. The State Department was so advised by Ambassador Willard. The terms of the agreement could not be learned and it was not known whether they had any bearing on the rate of exchange between the two countries, which the United States has desired to adjust because of the recent depreciation of the American dollar in Spain, where it is now worth only about 75 cents. Through their control of bunker coal the United States and the allies were in a position to stop not only the shipment of goods to Spain from the allied countries, but from neutrals as well. Spain is dependent upon this country for large supplies of foodstuffs as well as other materials.

Forty-seven men of the crew of the British tramp steamer Etruria, a total loss around off the Atlantic Coast, were landed here February 22 by a United States coast guard ship.

Italian shipping losses during the week ending February 20 were two steamships or more than 1500 tons and one sailing vessel of more than 100 tons. Arrivals at Italian ports during the same period were 356 merchantmen of all nationalities and departures were 330.

The Amsterdam Wiener Zeitung prints an imperial letter declining to accept the resignations of two Polish members of the Austrian government, Dr. Owkinski, minister of education, and Herr Twardowski, minister for Galicia. The ministers are assured of continued imperial confidence.

A dispatch to the London Express from Petrograd, dated Thursday, February 21, says that Bolshevik Foreign Minister Trotsky started February 21 for Dvinsk "to take measures to liquidate the new hostilities." It is stated in military circles that the commander in chief of the German invaders is the Grand Duke of Hesse, brother of the former Russian Empress, says the dispatch.

Dr. Otto Barkan, son of Dr. Adolph Barkan, prominent physician of this city, and a brother of Dr. Hans Barkan, also of this city, is interned within the German lines and is being closely watched by the German authorities, according to word reaching here. The young doctor, who is within the draft age, went to Berlin to study medicine five years ago. With his parents he was caught in Germany when the United States declared war. Dr. and Mrs. Adolph Barkan were unable to leave Germany until December. They are now in Switzerland.

The German troops advancing in Roonia have captured Hapsal, on the coast, near the entrance to the Gulf of Finland, and advanced beyond Roonia, Wolmar and Spandau. They marched into Hapsal, about 100 miles northeast of Riga, and were received with rejoicing by the inhabitants, the statement says. Further south the Germans pushed on to Leniz. Minsk also was occupied. At Novograd-Volynski the Germans came into touch with Ukrainian and other columns marching on the Volhynian fortress of Dubno. A regiment of Estonian troops has gone over to the Germans, the Berlin War Office announced.

**CARING FOR LITTLE REFUGEES FROM FRANCE**



In Switzerland the Red Cross, in addition to its other work, gives much attention to the children who have come there from the occupied part of northern France. The photograph shows the nursery where these little refugees are bathed and clothed.

## LARGEST WOOD SHIP ON COAST LAUNCHED

20,000 Persons See Big Barkentine Take to Water at Ralph Yards

Eureka—Twenty thousand persons watched the launching February 22 of the barkentine Conqueror, largest wooden ship ever built on the Pacific Coast and the first to be launched from the Ralph Shipbuilding Company's plant at Ralph, opposite Eureka. The vessel took the water without a hitch to mar proceedings as Mrs. James Ralph, Jr. broke the bottle whose contents christened the first of the Ralph fleet constructed on Humboldt Bay.

The occasion was notable, not only because of the gala air which pervaded the plant, and the presence of distinguished guests from San Francisco and other bay cities, but because of the presence of every one of the county's citizens who possibly could be present. It was more than curiosity which assembled the crowd. The Ralph Company is spending nearly a million dollars a year all told in Humboldt county and this means much to a town of 15,000 persons.

Following the launching, Mayor Ralph spoke at the dedication of the schoolhouse, which he presented to the town of Ralph.

## U. S. BOYS WORKING TO SAVE NATIONS CROPS

San Francisco—Italy round the flag, boys, to save the nation's crops.

Boys in this sense is meant very literally. The call, in fact, is directed very especially to high school boys—indeed under 19 years of age, who are, however, both willing and strong enough to enlist for farm work.

March 18 is the date set for the beginning of national enrollment week. In the week your Uncle Samuel wants every boy in this land who has a grain of patriotism in him and isn't afraid to show it by good, hard work to enlist in the United States Boys' Working Reserve.

To make this drive a success Walter H. Dunmer, the national publicity director, and W. E. Hall, the national director of the organization, have engaged some of the greatest artists of the land, among them Charles Dana Gibson, to draw posters which will set the question before the boys in vigorous lines.

Two million American boys are wanted in this reserve, an army that will be quite as important this summer to help win the war as our army in France or in training in the national cadets.

Says Hall of the need of these boys: "The largest single hitherto untapped available labor source is the 2,000,000 boys of 15 years of age and over who are in the schools or are engaged in unessential occupations."

"The United States Boys' Working Reserve is attempting to mobilize these 2,000,000 boys to take the places on farms and in shops now being vacated by men."

Recently Lord Rhonda, British food director, cabled to Herbert C. Hoover, American food director, that unless America can send to the allies 75,000,000 bushels of wheat in addition to what has already been sent—the entire normal surplus of the country—he could not assure the people that the allies would have food enough to win the war.

Hoover replied that every kernel of wheat that could be saved and spared by the American people would be sent. The whole world is crying for food. Ten million men have been and are being shifted in America into the army, or into munitions and other military works.

Their places in shop and farm must be filled.

It is up to the American boy to do what he can to fill that place.

Can he do it?

Wait him on National Enrollment Week.

## OVER ONE MILLION MEN ADDED TO U. S. ARMY

San Francisco—Between April 1, 1917, and the first of the present year Uncle Sam's available fighting force on land has been increased from 214,607 to 1,339,506, according to information just furnished to the State Council of Defense by the War Department.

Mathematically this represents the creation of a land fighting force more than seven times larger than the nucleus from which it was built and the great increase was accomplished in less than nine months' time.

The growth of the American army during the last months of 1917, as shown from official figures by the War Department, is as follows:

	1917	1918
Officers	5,791	121,797
Regulars	5,791	121,797
Guard	3,733	76,713
National	.....	400,000
Reserve	2,573	4,000

Total 12,097 202,510 110,856 1,428,659

While the exact figures as to the number of men contributed by California to Uncle Sam's new land force are unavailable, it is known that up to January 1 of this year this state had given close to 20,000 men to the regular army and to the National Guard. This number is not inclusive of those called into the national army through the draft, or enlistments in the navy, which have been unusually heavy.

**Transport Damaged by Fire**

An Atlantic Port—A mysterious fire damaged the United States transport J. L. Luchenbach February 21, to such an extent that he sailing will be delayed for weeks.

## Golden State News

TERSELY TOLD

Redding—Local officials are making an investigation of the circumstances surrounding the finding of the body of a 3 or 4 day old baby in a small box in the snow near Castella.

Petaluma—As a result of having contracted anthrax while handling hides which he was taking to a Napo tannery, B. Chapman, a resident of Sonoma, is dead here. The infection was detected almost immediately, but quick treatment failed.

San Francisco—A skeleton, believed to be that of Charles Frazer, who disappeared six months ago from the Hotel St. Rafael, 60 Seventh street, was found February 21, 100 feet south of Sloat boulevard, opposite Forty-fifth avenue, on property belonging to the Spring Valley Water Company.

Coalinga—The rainfall to date in the Coalinga district averages about inches. The plant turns out about a heavy snow has fallen. The road between Coalinga and Fresno is impassable, and traffic between the oil fields and the railroads is practically at a standstill owing to the condition of the roads.

Stockton—All of the output of the Patterson Glass Company's factory for the next five years has been contracted for by Ralph, Mills & Co., big San Francisco exporters, according to word brought here by C. A. Hall, who closed the deal. The plant turns out about \$700,000 worth of glass annually, so that the deal represents a figure approximating \$3,500,000. Delivery under the contract starts at once.

Eureka—The Gulf Steamship Company's steamer Nehalem, which sailed from this port for Guatemala at 7 p. m. February 21, carried 290 dwarfed houses, complete from shingles to nails, in knockdown form. These will be used for quick assembly in relieving the discomfort of citizens of Guatemala who lost their homes because of earthquakes in the southern part of the republic recently. The cargo amounts to 505,886 board feet and is valued at over \$23,000.

San Francisco—Ery Kehaya, president of the Standard Commercial Tobacco Company, arrived at the Palace Hotel February 21, en route to Japan and Korea, where his company has extensive interests. Kehaya states that his company has conducted experiments in raising some of the greatest light Turkish leaf tobacco for cigarettes. He says the experiments have been so successful that his company has decided to place 15,000 acres of land in the southern part of the State under cultivation.

Los Angeles—Following his wife here from Bakersfield, Donald Van Dusen, 30, murdered Mrs. Anna May Van Dusen, 19, in a downtown street here Thursday morning, February 21, and fired a bullet through his own brain when a mob attempted to capture him. Mrs. Van Dusen left her husband a month ago in Bakersfield and came to Los Angeles. The woman was shot six times. The shooting took place while persons were walking to work in the downtown district. As the slayer ran he reloaded his revolver, halted, faced his pursuers and sent a bullet into his brain.

Redwood City—Mrs. Alice H. Page, who pleaded guilty to setting fire to the Beger tannery here, where she was employed as head bookkeeper, is under indeterminate sentence of not less than ten years in San Quentin penitentiary. Superior Judge George H. Buck imposed sentence after Mrs. Page had waived a trial. "I did not remember what I was doing," the woman said. Mrs. Page is said to be several thousand dollars short in her accounts at a tannery, and attachments are expected against her property. The woman was sentenced to two years at San Quentin in 1913 on a forgery charge, the police say.

Martinez—The heavy vote for the water and sewer bonds and the quick sale of these securities at a premium has brought out a suggestion that Martinez may provide an electric railway service, municipally owned, by a bond issue. This city has grown to a stage where it needs an electric car system, to include lines to near-by manufacturing communities, giving the workers rapid transportation and making residence here convenient for them. Martinez is the center of a fast developing manufacturing and agricultural area, and it is estimated that radiating car lines would help greatly in the growth of the city.

Sacramento—Plans were perfected at Woodland by representative farmers of the Sacramento Valley counties to organize a central body of growers to handle the grain situation. W. H. Walker of Woodland was made president of the central committee, its other members being one representative from each of the northern California counties. It was decided to immediately begin a campaign for the erection of at least one elevator in each county and the abandonment of the use of laws and the handling of grain in bulk was unanimously decided upon. Another meeting was called for March 5 at Woodland. Every grain growing county in the state will be asked to send representatives to this conference. A number of farmers declared their intention of building elevators at their own expense.

**Profiteering.**

"We don't want prices to go up here as they have gone up in Europe," said Senator Jones of Washington.

"I heard the other day about a French wine merchant who said to an old patron:

"Look here, sir; if you won't pay me for that wine you just bought before the war, at least send me back the empty bottles."

"Humph," said the former patron, "glass has gone up a lot, you know."

What cash allowance do I get per bottle?"—Washington Star.

## BOY SCOUTS

(Conducted by National Council of the Boy Scouts of America)

### OWED BOY SCOUTS A DEBT

A boy scout courteously asked a woman worker in a Kansas City, Mo., office if she would buy a Liberty bond. "I have already bought about as many as I can afford," said she. "Still, you are the first boy scout who has asked me to buy, and I owe something to the boy scouts."

"Would you mind telling me why you say that?" asked the boy. "I would like to tell my scoutmaster."

"Three years ago," said the woman, "I didn't have a regular job, and neither did my husband. I used to go to the market Saturday nights to take advantage of the reduced prices in vegetables. One night I bought a good many and was struggling under the load when a boy in khaki uniform insisted on taking the heavier bundles. 'This is our work, you know,' he said proudly to me."

"I could only thank him, but I never forgot," said the woman, "and today I feel I must buy one more bond to help save America for such citizens as these boy scouts are going to be."

**EXPLORING A CLIFF.**



The Scout Finds the Rope Which Each Carries at His Belt a Very Handy Article.

### MORE EAGLE SCOUTS IN TEXAS.

San Antonio now has four Eagle scouts, and this noteworthy achievement was reached when the court of honor completed tests that qualified three scouts as Eagle scouts.

Lewis Kayton, who is in the first Eagle scout in San Antonio, was presented with his badge in the summer. The three new Eagle scouts are Charles Henning, Zay Smith and Seldon Nye.

The court of honor compels each test to be thorough in every way, and it has taken weeks and months of hard work for the scouts to attain this honor.

In order to get the Eagle badge, a scout must take 21 merit badge examinations and several of these take months of preparation. The Eagle scouts won these honors only by the hardest work and by deep study and practice.

### SCOUTS ASK FLAG RESPECT.

The San Francisco Ad Club, with the cooperation of the San Francisco Boy Scouts of America, has launched a movement to make expressions of respect to the American flag more general in that city, particularly on public occasions.

According to President Samuel P. Johnson of the club, some men fail to remove their hats when the flag passes in a public parade.

Asked by the club for assistance, the boy scouts promised to conduct a campaign to ask men to doff their hats when the national banner passes. At the next parade to be held in that city the boy scouts are to march in advance, distributing cards asking men to do this reverence to the flag.

### GOOD TURNS BY SCOUTS.

A Cory, Pa., scout, named Harold MacInnes, saved the life of a little boy who had severed a large artery.

Scouts in McBain, Mich., gave first aid in a gunshot explosion when two men were badly injured and no physician was to be had.

Boy scouts in Buffalo are proud of one patrol that is expert in signaling. The patrol is equipped with electric and oil flash lanterns, field buzzers, telegraph instruments, flags, etc.



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**Power of New Sea Mines.**  
As an instance of the power of the latest sea mines, writes a correspondent, one which we exploded in a shallow channel threw high into the air parts of the rocky bottom, and a wide area of the sea was disclosed by the upheaval of the soil. When the mines are blown up, the surface for long after presents an extraordinary appearance, with thousands of all kinds of fish lying stunned. The majority are not killed, only stunned, and after getting blown out with the air, they wriggle about on the surface before they sufficiently recover to swim below to their natural level; meanwhile, our patrols take advantage of the situation to harvest several boxes of the choicest.

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It is stated that kitchen dishes and utensils made of glass reinforced by wire are stronger than metal dishes and utensils. Very probable; but so are kitchen mauls stronger than metal dishes and utensils.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**Preparing for Slaughter.**  
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## THE TWO SWORDS

By Lewis F. Crawford, President State Board of Regents, North Dakota

"The Hymn of the German Sword" appeared in a German paper published in Leipzig, Germany, and has been widely copied in papers of other countries. A copy which came to the attention of Lewis F. Crawford, Sentinel Butte, N. D., president of the state board of regents, impressed him so strongly that he prepared "The American Sword," as a contrast to the spirit shown in "The German Sword."

### HYMN OF THE GERMAN SWORD

It is no duty of mine to be either just or compassionate; it suffices that I am sanctified by my exalted mission, and that I blind the eyes of my enemies with such streams of tears as shall make the proudest of them cringe in terror under the vault of heaven.

I have slaughtered the old and the sorrowful; I have struck off the breasts of women; and I have run through the bodies of children who gazed at me with the eyes of the wounded lion.

Day after day I ride aloft on the shadowy horses in the Valley of Cypresses and as I ride I draw forth the life blood of every enemy's son that dares to dispute my path.

It is meet and right that I should cry aloud in my pride, for am I not the flaming messenger of the Lord Almighty?

Germany is so far above and beyond all the other nations that all the rest of the earth, be they who they may, should feel themselves well done by when they are allowed to fight with the dogs for the crumbs that fall from her table.

When Germany the divine is happy, then the rest of the world basks in smiles; but when Germany suffers, God in person is rent with anguish, and wrathful and avenging, he turns all the waters into rivers of blood.

### THE AMERICAN SWORD

I am the American sword. I have never been unsheathed except in the cause of justice and humanity.

I punish only under solemn and compelling obligation.

In my presence national perfidy and dishonor never go unchallenged.

I opened in generous trust to all nations the portals of American opportunity and gave equal rights to all in the inheritance created by the toil and blood of our ancestors.

In me everything that is good finds approval, everything mean meets rebuke.

My people are enticed to love me by the gentle persuasiveness of my life. I am the visual enchantment of the downtrodden and the oppressed; the emblem of national honor; the embodiment of the world's hope.

In me is linked the command of duty with the love of Calvary; it is mine to trace the hidden equities of divine reward and connect national wrong-doing with its swift retribution; under me fulfillment adds splendor to the gorgeous mosaic of our dreams.

O Kaiser! obsessed with power, drunk with passion, enemy of peace and right and freedom throughout the world, slayer of age and infancy, ravisher of virginity, spreader of contagion, fiend incarnate!

Against thee barren fields cry out in protest; venerated works of art and architecture, hallowed by the centuries, thou has crumbled under shells of frenzy; thou art wasting the flower of the world's manhood in red ruin spurred on by the grim reaper of Hate.

Thou international brigand, enslaver and robber of Belgium, looter of Serbia, betrayer of neutrals; thou art a pirate running mad on the pathless sweep of oceans, plundering and murdering on the high seas.

Diplomatic intriguer, thou has faithfully broken age-old treaties, thou has torpedoesd hospital ships, bombarded defenseless cities and unleashed liquid fire and poison gas—outlaw demons of destruction. In this epilepsy of the world's horror thou art not bowed with a sense of unmatchable guilt and sudden shame; thou, the arch gutter-snipe of civilization, art more unsparring than Torquemada, more cruel than Nero, more atrocious than Caligula, more crafty than Geronimo; thou hast loosed the hosts of ill upon a peaceful world and darkened the heavens with blasphemy.

Thou art chased by the maddening billows; the deeps in malice open to receive thee; ashens faces turned toward flame-like skies, appeal for vengeance. My presence gives courage to endure the appalling strain and omnipresent peril of battle.

I bestow superhuman nerve, sleepless caution, capacity for sacrifice, and the justice of my cause pales the hand of brutal might and insensate ambition.

I pity the victim, not the violator; the sorrows I bring wear no weeds of mourning.

I open a new era in history; I fire the human soul with new daring and new hope; I will survive this conflict and pronounce its sentence.

When the name of Kaiser shall have lost its stench and been covered with the dust of countless centuries, I shall still be glorified as the malaprop of democracy—the peacemaker of the world.

## Bill and the Bank President

Mates on the Good Ship of Thrift

It was long after banking hours and only the assistant janitor and the bank president were "on the job" in the great Chicago banking institution. The executive, having cleaned up the mass of business on his desk, lighted a long, pencil-shaped cigar and lolled back in his swivel chair. Bill, the red-faced, good-natured member of the clean-up brigade, entered the office and headed for the waste basket. The bank president remembered that Bill had bought a \$100 Liberty bond in the second campaign.

"Are you having any trouble in meeting the payments on your Liberty bond, Bill?" asked the executive.

"No trouble, sir," replied the janitor. "I've done a bit of plannin' and trimmin', though, but it ain't given me any trouble. I'm better off for th' plannin' and trimmin'."

"I imagine you have—well, a sort of better opinion of yourself for saving, and lending your money to the government," said the president.

"I'm sorry I ain't young enough to be 'over there' with the boys," said Bill, "but since I ain't there and won't be there unless the army needs men with rheumatiz in one out of every three joints, I feel it necessary to do what I can do here at home. Oh, I know I ain't doin' much—ain't doin' anything, in fact, by lendin' my little money to the government and gettin' good interest on it, but I am gettin' that little money together, thanks to the amazin' way my wife trims here and there and workin' th' left-over things into new dishes."

"It's a fine thing to be a bondholder—a real partner in the great firm of Uncle Sam & Co.," said the president. "You really have a better opinion of himself when he feels that he is lending a hand."

"I'd like to have ten of 'em bonds," said Bill, "but, of course, I ain't bitin' off more'n I can chew. But I'm goin' to be right there when the third loan comes out. There's a real sport in cuttin' out the things—unnecessary

things. I haven't been over to th' 'corner' with th' gang for weeks. I used to feel that I didn't 'belong' unless I drifted over there and spent at least a quarter every night. My oldest girl has got that war-savings stamp fever for fair, and she's coppin' all the extra quarters."

"You have bought a Liberty bond; your wife has trimmed here and there in order that you might have the necessary money, and your daughter is buying the war-savings stamps," said the bank president. "Your little home, Bill, is doing its full duty, and you ought to be thoroughly proud of it—including yourself."

"Oh, I ain't doin' as much as I'd like to do," said Bill, blushing at the compliment, "but I'm doin' about all I can do, so I really ain't ashamed of myself."

"I'm trimming, too, Bill," said the bank president. "This cigar I'm smoking costs just one-third as much as the one I've been in the habit of smoking, and I'm not smoking as many cigars a day as I used to smoke. I've had my shoes resoled for the first time in 20 years. It used to be that every time I'd run my heel down a little I'd chuck the shoes and buy a new pair. I'm going to wear this suit of clothes until it wears out, no matter how glossy it becomes. I'm going to—"

"Oh, but you don't have to pinch that way," interrupted Bill a bit apologetically; "you can afford to wear the best."

"I know it," said the bank president, "but I'm going to be thrifty myself. As you say, there's real sport in playing the game of thrift. The government can have all I've got. I mean that. It has been good to me and I'm going to try to show my appreciation. I'll be right there when the third loan is out."

"I'll be ridin' along with you, sir," said Bill with a chuckle.

And now Bill and the bank president are mates on the good ship Thrift.

### How Men Laugh.

The far-seeing man with a sense of humor laughs in his throat in spasmodic little bursts. He looks before he leaps. He takes a good survey of a question before committing himself. Neither laughter nor speech escapes easily. He lets them out judiciously.

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**VALUE OF BARNYARD MANURE**

Price Fixed at \$8 to \$9 Per Ton for Use on Farm Crops by Ohio Experiment Station.

Can barnyard manure be worth \$8 to \$9 a ton for use on farm crops? At present prices for commercial fertilizers, it has had this value in tests conducted by the Ohio agricultural experiment station.

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Nitrate of soda now costs nearly 4 cents a pound, and sulfate of potash 20 cents. At such prices the eight tons of manure has had a replacement value of at least \$70.

Every pound of manure saved and used with the utmost economy will relieve the fertilizer situation this year and put crop yields on a higher level.

As we grow more sensible, we refuse drug cathartics and take instead Nature's herb cure, Garfield Tea.—Adv.

**GOOD MATERIALS FOR MULCH**

Ashe, Leaves, Straw, Evergreen Boughs and Clippings Mowed From Lawns Are Valuable.

There are many materials which are valuable for mulching. Ashe, leaves, straw, evergreen boughs and clippings, grass mowed from the lawn, rotten manure, bark, half-rotten wood chips, rakes up at the base of the out-door woodpile, pine needles from the woods, marsh hay, charred peat and stones are among the materials which can be used.

Stones are valuable laid above the rooting portion of layered slips. Evergreen boughs, coarse manure and dry litter suit hycintins. Lilies receive a mulch of ashe with favor and well-rotted manure is a benefit to peonies, for it can be worked into the soil in the spring.

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## GOOD ROADS

### PROPER WIDTH OF HIGHWAYS

Writer Advocates Narrower Roads and Restoring Acres of Valuable Land to Farming.

Just at this time many are interested in the question, how wide should our public roads be? A number of things should be considered in answering this question, says a writer in Utah Farmer. The kind of material to be used in making the road. The topographical conditions through which the road will pass, the proper drainage of the road. The special use to which the road may be put, if any.

For years very little attention has been given to the waste of land in our road building. Land has been cheap and plentiful and years ago we did not

place another on the chassis of the sidecar, he is able to transport a considerable load with dispatch and without particular difficulty. His country place is more than 30 miles from St. Joseph, but with this delivery van he recently carried a calf and a dozen chickens to market and returned within a few hours' time.—Popular Mechanics.

**WAR GARDENS FOR EVERYONE**

Supplies Are Needed for Armies Fighting for Brotherhood and Peace, Says Dean Woods.

Every family should have its own garden this year. "To do so will be to release supplies for the armies that are fighting for brotherhood and peace," says Dean A. F. Woods of the Minnesota College of Agriculture.

"To hasten the close of the war," adds Dean Woods, "we must feed the people in the armies. The farmers are doing everything possible and the people of the towns should assist by avoiding waste and extravagance. They should make gardens not only in their back yards, but in their front yards as well, and on vacant lots. They should organize garden clubs, including women and children, and grow enough to supply their needs not only through the summer, but through the winter. They can do this by intensive effort."

Dean Woods urges boys' and girls' clubs, Boy Scouts, teachers, preacher and all public-spirited citizens to lead in this work.

**KEEPING UP COUNTRY ROADS**

Whether or Not Farmer Lives on Public Highway He Should Take Interest in Nearest One.

Every farmer should feel his dependence upon good roads. Whether or not one lives on a public highway he should take an interest in the nearest one to his farm or the road he must use to market his farm, orchard and garden products.

There are many times when a day's work can be spared for the road. After heavy rains the road may need certain repairs or improvements when the overseer is not ready to call out the hands. Why not individual farmers donate a day's work on the road at such time?

By keeping a road drag and dragging the road along one's land after heavy rains the road may be greatly improved. It is an easy matter to have an agreement so each farmer will drag the road in front of his farm. This would maintain the road till the regular hands could be called out at stated intervals or till the commissioner could make the repairs.

The time has come when we must consider the roads an asset, indispensable to the well-being of the farmer and his family. This being true, is it not every man's duty to do all he can to keep the roads in good condition?

**GOOD ROADS IN CONNECTICUT**

Concrete Highways Being Built in Twenty-Two Cities and Towns—Cost \$15,000 a Mile.

The construction of concrete highways is going on in 22 cities and towns in Connecticut, and when these contracts have been completed there will be about 70 miles of concrete-surfaced pavement in that state. The highways are 18 feet wide and cost \$15,000 a mile. The longest single street of concrete road in Connecticut is two miles in Cheshire, on the main highway from Plainville to New Haven.

**FACTS ABOUT GOATS**

Every vicid kid shoe is made from goatskin.

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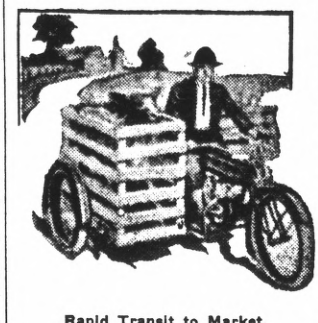
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## Harbor Money Is Assured, Says Curry

(Special to The Richmond Terminal.)

WASHINGTON, Feb. 28.—The appropriation for Richmond harbor is assured, and will be forthcoming at once. Work should begin within thirty days, and deep sea vessels be landing at Richmond by July or August.

## Banquet Tonight

All the speakers engaged for the Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Richmond club will be on hand and a big meeting and good feed is assured.

Secure your "meal ticket" now, as there are only a few of them left.

## License Required For Exporting and Importing

No commodities may now be exported from the United States without license. According to a statement by the War Trade Board the military and tonnage situations have made increasingly apparent the necessity of instituting a complete and thoroughgoing control of all exports and imports.

Licenses for the exports or import of coin, bullion, currency, evidences of debt or of ownership of property and of transfers of credit will be issued by the Treasury Department; licenses for all other exports and imports, including merchandise, bunkers, ship's supplies, etc., will be issued by the War Trade Board.

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## Gelder Candidate For State Senator

Hon. George Gelder is a candidate for state senator from the 16th senatorial district (which includes Albany) this year, and the hands on the political clock point very favorably to Mr. Gelder's election. It is stated that Senator Tyrrell has decided not to run.



Mr. Gelder has served six successive years as assemblyman, and is the oldest member, in point of years of service, in that branch of the legislature.

## Coffee and Tea Man Here

Harry E. Somerville, prominent in fraternal circles, one of the live Macdonald avenue business men, is now a local representative of the Geo. W. Caswell Company, coffee, tea and spices, San Francisco. Mr. Somerville is now in the field and has already established a good business.

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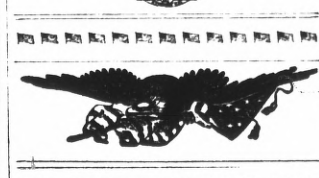
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## More Business For Officials

Western states are now besieged by reformers to have the municipality engage in all kinds of business.

From operating smelters and coal mines to retailing cordwood and running flouring mills and ice plants, the program goes.

Farmers' organizations strike hands with labor unions and in return for laws striking at the middleman they would enact laws upholding strikes.

In Washington labor and grange unions are initiating bills to enact laws forbidding injunctions in disputes about wages.

Another law gives cities, states, and counties power to own and operate all kinds of business, from markets to manufacturing plants.

Cities can be bonded for railroad terminals, wholesale and retail business of all kinds, sale of coal, fuel oil, cordwood, etc.

Docks and railroad tracks through the cities are to be owned by the municipality and millions of dollars of property will go untaxed.

While millions of property will be taken off the tax rolls, state ownership and conduct of all kinds of business will take money.

All these political projects mean expansion of the office-holding industry and reduction of the business and industries of the people.

## Hold Down Local Taxes.

That is one of the duties to be demanded of those who would serve the people in the legislatures to be chosen this fall.

Taxes are made up by city, school, state and county officials and all are prepared to shift the blame on the other fellow.

But if a higher type of citizenship is sent to the legislature on a pledge to reduce taxes, this passing the buck will cease.

For instance, in Colorado general property taxes in 1917 were \$17 on the thousand dollars, and this year \$20 will be collected.

The same condition will be found to exist in most western states and an absolute demand must be made for reduction to help offset war taxes at this time, or many industries will be crippled.

For instance, in one city, school taxes are 1.28 higher, and a large volume of new school laws are passed by each legislature.

These laws do not come from the people, but are demanded and log-rolled through the legislature by the organized educational officialism.

In the same way state and county taxes are increased, and it is high time legislators realized that they must represent those who pay the money.

Gasoline is never safely stored until it is in an underground tank. The vapor from a single pint will render the air in an ordinary-sized room explosive. Heavier than air, the gasoline vapor rests near the floor or ground. And a person standing may be unconscious of the danger until he places a lantern in the danger zone.

## Cheese

There is a great deal of food in a little piece of it. Don't eat it at the end of a meal when you have already had enough. You wouldn't eat a piece of meat then. An inch cube of American cheese contains a third more protein than a piece of lean meat of the same size. Cheese is excellent food if eaten at the right time. Get from the United States Department of Agriculture the Farmers' Bulletin on cheese, No. 487, to learn how to use it in many ways.

## Albany Activities

(Albany Argus)

Pupils of Cornell are quite enthusiastic in helping to win the war by knitting. Both sexes are busy after school, one hour being devoted to the work two days each week. The boys manufacture their own knitting needles.

Cornell school has a fund of \$26.25 in the "kitty." The pupils will expend the money for something beneficial, maybe war stamps.

Supt. George Frick visited both schools Tuesday and was highly pleased with the good work of the principal and teachers.

Harry Williams, the well known flagman at Main and San Pablo, is on duty again after several weeks absence on account of illness. He has been in the S. P. hospital at San Francisco. Harry's friends are glad to see him at his post again.

Richard Tevelin, the well known resident painter and ex-city trustee, who resides at Stannage and Dartmouth, is reported as recovering from a recent serious illness. The physician reports that Mr. Tevelin's condition is due to the deleterious effects of the fumes from paint, and that the poison is difficult to overcome.

Mrs. Christine Poggi won first prize at the masquerade ball given by the Druids of Oakland. She represented the character of "Joan of Arc."

Pupils of the 3d, 4th and 5th grades of the Marin school have knitting bees from 3 p. m. until 4:30. It is surprising to see the amount of work the youngsters are doing to help win the war.

A splendid Washington's Birthday program was rendered at the Marin school Thursday afternoon. There were a number of visitors present, and all were highly pleased with the various numbers rendered. Mrs. Orton sang, and received a number of encores.

## Bank Clearances.

The following are the bank clearances for January of the principal California cities.

San Francisco	\$433,683,033
Los Angeles	132,185,000
Oakland	25,519,631
Sacramento	15,095,293
San Diego	10,240,865
Fresno	10,586,608
Stockton	9,059,489

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## GOVERNMENT SEEDS

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## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1917-1918.  
Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.  
Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa County the duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1917, and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and that interest and prior thereon five per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1918, at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1918, and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April, next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

That payment of taxes must be made at the office of the Tax Collector, in the Court-house at Martinez, Contra Costa County.

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Tax Collector Contra Costa County.

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## Summons.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA, IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF CONTRA COSTA.  
FANNY H. SPIEGEL, Plaintiff, vs. WARREN BROWN and LAURA A. BROWN, and Also All Other Persons Unknown.  
Claiming any Right, Title, Estate, Lien or Interest in the Real Property Located in the County of Contra Costa, to be Plaintiff's Ownership or any Claim Upon Plaintiff's Title to said land.

Summons.  
You are hereby directed to answer the complaint filed in the County of Contra Costa in an action entitled as above brought against you in the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa, within ten days after the service on you of this summons, if served within this County, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

The said action is brought by plaintiff to obtain a judgment and decree declaring, adjudging and setting aside plaintiff's title, in fee simple absolute, and in the possession of and entitled to the possession of all that certain real property, to wit: being and being in the County of Contra Costa, State of California, particularly described as follows, to-wit:

BEGINNING at a point on the fence line along the North boundary of Lot 2, 3, which point bears Westerly 330°00' feet distant from the N. E. Corner of said Lot 2, 3, as said lot is delineated and as designated on that certain map entitled, "Map of the Rancho, Canada del Hombre las Bolas," made by T. A. Talleyrand, April 10th, 1869, said point being also the S. W. Corner of the 167 1/4 acre tract conveyed by A. C. J. Rutherford and James Rutherford to Edward R. Rowland by deed dated August 6th, 1898, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Contra Costa County, California, August 10th, 1908, in Volume 137 of Deeds, page 384; thence along fence S. 25° 17' E. 63.29 feet; thence S. 27° 18' E. 56.90 feet; thence S. 48° 13' E. 60.00 feet; thence S. 72° 31' E. 46.30 feet; thence S. 89° 36' E. 41.20 feet; thence along fence S. 14° 20' E. 76.30 feet to point in fence; thence down said creek S. 8° 24' W. 61.60 feet; thence S. 16° 32' E. 64.30 feet; thence S. 13° 11' E. 103.00 feet; thence S. 57° 25' E. 79.40 feet; thence S. 46° 35' E. 101.00 feet; thence S. 79° 36' E. 74.30 feet; thence S. 48° 11' E. 62.99 feet; thence S. 45° 10' E. 78.20 feet; thence S. 72° 30' E. 60.40 feet; thence S. 84° 38' W. 21.50 feet; thence S. 22° 54' E. 66.10 feet; thence N. 75° 23' E. 60.90 feet; thence S. 40° 12' E. 60.80 feet; thence S. 19° 12' W. 32.20 feet; thence S. 83° 47' E. 66.20 feet; thence S. 21° 21' E. 27.10 feet; thence S. 74° 00' E. 73.70 feet; thence S. 25° 56' E. 58.80 feet; thence S. 48° 48' E. 79.90 feet; thence S. 40° 23' E. 45.70 feet; thence S. 87° 25' E. 61.00 feet; thence S. 29° 32' E. 51.00 feet; thence leaving dry creek S. 48° 30' W. 25.70 feet; thence crossing Malice Creek, running along fence S. 44° 21' W. 103.30 feet; thence S. 47° 02' W. 216.00 feet; thence S. 49° 11' W. 306.30 feet; thence S. 48° 45' W. 771.00 feet; thence to fence corner; thence S. 41° 27' E. 272.00 feet to fence corner; thence N. 23° 57' W. 120.80 feet; thence N. 72° 11' W. 114.50 feet to fence corner; thence S. 66° 02' E. 102.57 feet to white stake; thence N. 16° 19' W. 40.00 feet; thence N. 23° 57' W. 192.20 feet to fence corner; thence along fence N. 22° 25' E. 210.10 feet; thence N. 20° 19' E. 91.20 feet; thence N. 23° 14' E. 143.20 feet; thence N. 25° 24' E. 121.60 feet; thence N. 35° 49' E. 120.10 feet; thence N. 17° 24' E. 112.70 feet; thence N. 64° 46' E. 194.70 feet; thence N. 69° 35' E. 113.50 feet; thence N. 42° 54' E. 256.41 feet; thence leaving fence and running up center of Bailey Creek N. 11° W. 20.00 feet; thence S. 22° 08' W. 76.10 feet; thence N. 85° 08' W. 10.00 feet; thence N. 97° 43' W. 123.10 feet; thence S. 67° 29' W. 41.10 feet; thence S. 31° 21' E. 77.90 feet; thence N. 60° 01' W. 64.60 feet; thence N. 39° 00' W. 117.60 feet; thence S. 69° 26' W. 97.40 feet; thence N. 61° 17' W. 136.20 feet; thence S. 56° 17' W. 31.10 feet; thence S. 62° 07' W. 29.20 feet; thence N. 27° 11' W. 49.50 feet; thence S. 78° 45' W. 37.80 feet to junction of creek; thence up East foot of Creek N. 5° 24' W. 73.00 feet; thence S. 48° 30' W. 50.80 feet; thence S. 50° 11' W. 40.80 feet; thence S. 0° 31' W. 14.40 feet; thence N. 15° 00' W. 42.30 feet; thence N. 20° 38' E. 54.40 feet; thence N. 49° 19' W. 32.20 feet; thence N. 12° 02' W. 36.00 feet; thence N. 64° 52' W. 107.70 feet; thence N. 23° 17' W. 102.30 feet; thence N. 16° 18' E. 89.00 feet to intersection of creek, and fence; thence along fence S. 92° 29' E. 32.90 feet; thence S. 89° 14' E. 314.40 feet; thence N. 44° 56' E. 847.00 feet to point of beginning.

CONTAINING 156.17 acres.  
And of the whole thereof and that by said decree it be adjudged and declared that said plaintiff is now and her predecessors in interest have been in the actual, exclusive and adverse possession of said real property and continuously for twenty years prior to the filing of plaintiff's complaint in this action, claiming to own the same in fee simple title, and that during the period of five years continuously next preceding the filing of plaintiff's complaint in this action, have paid all taxes of every kind levied or assessed against said property or any part thereof.

That by said decree it be declared and adjudged that said defendants have no and none of said defendants or any other person known or unknown has any right, title, estate, lien or interest in, or to the real property hereinabove described or any part thereof, adverse to plaintiff's ownership, or any cloud upon plaintiff's title thereto.  
That the defendants above named and all other persons known or unknown, be forever enjoined and debared from asserting any claim whatever in, or to said real property, adverse to plaintiff and for such other and further relief as to the Court may seem just and agreeable to equity and for plaintiff's costs of suit.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money, or damages demanded in the Complaint as arising on contract or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the Complaint.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Contra Costa, this 22nd day of October, 1917.

J. H. WELLS,  
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

By S. WELLS,  
Deputy Clerk.

(SEAL).  
Wm. R. Geary, First Sav. Bank Bldg.  
Oakland, Cal., Atty. for Plaintiff

## NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1918.

Registration closes, for the purpose of voting at Municipal Elections in towns of the Sixth Class, on March 8, 1918; for the purpose of voting at August Primary Election, on July 27th, 1918; for the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 5th, 1918.

No person shall be entitled to vote at any of the above elections unless he registers on or before the above dates.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

J. H. WELLS,  
County Clerk of Contra Costa County.

The following named persons are Registration Deputies:

A. C. Paris, Chief Deputy, City Hall, Richmond.

Mrs. Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington Ave., Richmond.

George K. Drew, 114 Washington Ave., Richmond.

I. R. Vaughn, 420 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.

L. J. Thole, 1928 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.

Mrs. Florilla M. Brown, Stege Branch Library, Richmond.

Miss Fannie L. Nesbitt, 621 Bissell Ave., Richmond.

J. A. Dendrich, City Hall, Richmond.

Nellie M. Scott, 635 South 29th Street, Richmond.

J. E. Cryan, 321-6th St., Richmond.

James M. Stewart, Standard Oil Co., Richmond.

Miss Betty Angell, Chamber of Commerce, Richmond.

M. A. Hays, 2202 Macdonald Ave., Richmond.

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